

## SANATORIUM HELD NEED OF ARKANSAS

State Health Officer Urges  
Scheme in Tuberculosis  
Fight.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 14.—One of the most serious needs of Arkansas is the erection of an early date of a large tuberculosis sanatorium for the isolation and treatment of advanced indigent cases of the disease, according to the biennial report of Dr. C. W. Garrison, state health officer. Every county in the state, Dr. Garrison declared, has a large number of such cases, each of which is potentially a dangerous source of infection, and he continued, until a sanatorium to care for the tuberculous, the time, energy and money expended by the various agencies in combating the great white plague in Arkansas will count for little.

The division of communicable diseases of the state board of health, the report stated, is experiencing a rapidly growing demand from the public, and in meeting the calls for help the closest co-operation has been established between the state authorities and the United States public health service. During the biennial period just ended, according to Dr. Garrison, a medical officer has been assigned to the state during the greater part of the year, and his services have been inestimable in the control of threatened epidemics of typhoid fever, smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles. The typhoid incidence in Arkansas, Dr. Garrison said, is high and is demanding much attention.

The United States public health service, the report said, also furnished an officer to make a trachoma survey of the state the past summer, the survey showing that the disease is quite prevalent in Arkansas. According to the report of the survey, the records at the State School for the Blind in Little Rock show that 45 per cent of the inmates are there because of trachoma alone. It was pointed out that the disease is a mildly communicable one, but one which demands isolation and careful treatment, and a disease in the treatment of which few physicians are skilled.

The public health service, according to the report, has agreed to establish a mobile trachoma hospital in the state early next summer, provided congress makes an appropriation for it. Several hospitals, it was said, have been in operation for several years in Kentucky, the Indiana reservations, and few other states where the disease is widespread.

## 15,000,000 FACE DEATH IN CHINA

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A dispatch from Peking predicting the probable loss of millions of lives unless relief is forwarded promptly, was received by the Near East relief headquarters here. The message said:

"Representatives of all the famine relief committees in conference in Peking, find that 15,000,000 people are facing death from starvation and cold. Available resources of all the international famine relief committees, the American Red Cross included, are in a position to support only 500,000.

"Government and other Chinese help is inadequate to prevent a very great loss of life. Urgently we urge the foreign mission conference to appeal to American and Canadian churches."

## FIND NO EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT CHARGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—No evidence of crime has been found in the examination of 16 witnesses in connection with charges made by Campbell McCulloch, former first reader of the First Church of Christ Scientist, here, that certain papers had been stolen from his desk were being used to harm him. Assistant District Attorney Burke stated that in preferring the charges McCulloch said he had resigned from the church in order that he might press a complaint of criminal libel against two of its trustees and 16 other members.

The situation will be continued to-morrow. Names of all witnesses are being withheld.

## FAULKNER COUNTY TO DISCUSS COTTON CRISIS

CONWAY, Ark., Dec. 14.—A general meeting to bring Faulkner county in line with the cotton reduction movement started at Memphis will be held in the rooms of the Conway Commercial club tonight. The chief address will be made by Frank Farria, vice-president of the Farmers' State bank, who attended the Memphis convention as the club's delegate. As now suggested, the club meeting will be followed by a mass meeting at the courthouse for the launching of a county association which would make reduction of cotton acreage as mandatory as possible.

## TEN STILLS AND CORN SEIZED; THREE NABBED

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 14.—Three men were arrested charged with moonshining, three stills were captured, seven other stills were destroyed and hundreds of gallons of moonshine whisky and beer poured out in a raid made along the West Virginia-Kentucky border by 15 prohibition agents Saturday and Sunday, according to Prohibition Agent R. P. Epps, member of the raiding party who returned to Lexington last night. No resistance was encountered by the party.

## Store Robbed To Get Party Dainties

(Special to The News Scimitar.) KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 14.—Robbing of a store in order to provide delicacies for a party was the unique case brought to the attention of the police here. The store of Lester Grocery company, corner of Coker avenue and Broadway, in North Knoxville, was entered by unknown parties. A large amount of eatables, consisting of fruits, candies and cakes were taken as well as several boxes of cigars and cigarettes. The remains of the feast are reported by police to have been discovered nearby.

## Robber Aged Nine, Caught With Goods

SELMA, Ala., Dec. 14.—The young robber captured in this section of the state is Roscoe Bell, 9-year-old negro, who was arrested after he had succeeded in extracting an iron box containing \$1,000 from the safe of a local drug store.

## LUXORA BANK FAILS TO OPEN ITS DOORS

LUXORA, Ark., Dec. 14.—Hit by business depression on account of the low price of cotton, the Luxora Banking company failed to open its doors Monday. The bank has deposits of approximately \$300,000, and officers declare it to be solvent, but that the present embarrassment was due to heavy loans on cotton and advances to planters.

The bank was organized 22 years ago, J. B. Spann, of Luxora, and Memphis, is the president; J. B. Driver, Luxora, vice-president, and Jack Landrum, cashier. It is capitalized at \$15,000, and is declared to have a surplus of \$15,000.

A representative of the bank commissioner's office is in charge and a reorganization will be effected at once.

## HIGH RATES BRING RAILROADS COIN

Small Roads Get Increased  
Revenue Through Boost  
in October.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Net operating income of all except 12 of the principal railroads of the country in October was \$2,947,374, according to a statement issued by the interstate commerce commission. This compared with a net operating income of \$3,875,555 for all of the principal roads in September.

October was the first month in which the carriers felt the full force of the increased interstate freight and passenger tariffs granted in August as a large amount of income received in September was on business originating before the new rates became effective.

## Trans-Atlantic Plane To Carry 300 Passengers

ROME, Dec. 14.—King Victor Emmanuel was keenly interested when he was told by Gianni Caproni, the airplane inventor, of a projected giant plane which would carry 300 persons across the Atlantic in about 36 hours. Plans for the machine are now being completed, and provisions are being made for dining and sleeping accommodations on board the aerial liners.

A smaller airplane designed by Signor Caproni will make its first trial trip in January near Lake Maggiore. This airplane will be capable of carrying 100 persons a distance of 500 miles in 10 hours. Work on the trans-Atlantic plane will be started as soon as this smaller liner has been tested. During his conversation with the king, Signor Caproni told him of his plan to return to New York next spring and begin the construction of a new airplane factory near New York city.

Several interviews between Signor Caproni and Col. James Chaney, aerial attaché at the American embassy here, have been held, and the inventor has met other officials of the embassy.

## SOVIETS SEND NOTE OF PROTEST TO ALLIES

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The Russian soviet government suddenly has taken part in the Greek troubles by sending a strong note of protest to Great Britain, France and Italy against their "brutal interference in the affairs of the Hellenic people," according to a Moscow dispatch to the Daily Herald. The soviet does not threaten any action on behalf of Greece, but it predicts that the Greek laboring masses "soon will free themselves from the unrelenting tutelage of imperialistic powers."

## ROADS LOSE COIN BECAUSE OF DELAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Failure of state railroad commissions in Utah and Illinois to advance passenger and freight rates in interstate commerce to the level recently authorized carriers in interstate commerce has already cost the railroads of Utah \$2,000,000 and those of Illinois \$4,000,000 the interstate commerce commission was told by the carriers of the two states.

## THIEVES STEAL GEMS FROM NEW YORK CHURCH

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Pearls and diamonds valued at from \$10,000 to \$100,000 were stolen from a golden vessel in the Catholic church of St. Vincent Ferrer here by thieves who escaped without leaving a clue. The valuables constituted part of the furnishings of the church, regarded as among the finest in the city.

## Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

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## Tri-State News In Brief

JACKSON, Miss.—The arrest of 45 coupe shooters in one night is the record of the Jackson police department. The desk sergeant almost had written the names of the offenders, divided about 50-50 between the white and negro races.

JACKSON, Miss.—Jackson is on the verge of a crusade for a strict enforcement of the Sunday laws. Committees representing several of the churches are drawing up resolutions and will present them to the chief of police and sheriff. Those whose Sunday activities are suppressed declare they will insist on a "whole hog or none" policy, carrying it so far as paid choir singers and organists in the churches.

HAZLEHURST, Miss.—Rev. W. W. Graves, of the First Methodist church, preached his farewell sermon to his congregation here. His recent promotion to the pastorate of presiding elder in the Hazlehurst district causes his removal from Hazlehurst after two years of service here to the satisfaction of his church membership.

HAZLEHURST, Miss.—A report from Trumbull, 19 miles north of Hazlehurst, states that a portion of the Ledge Hanna case company plant, of that place, was completely destroyed by fire of undetermined origin early Saturday morning. The venerable plant, which is one of the largest mills in this county, works several hundred men. The loss will reach several thousand dollars, which was partially covered by insurance.

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ROANOKE, Va.—Raymond B. Dunn, of Knoxville, Tenn., a traveling salesman, was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter here for the killing last August of W. D. Divers, night clerk in a local hotel. Dunn was fined \$500 and sentenced to serve 90 days in jail.

DEATHS.

BRISTOL, Tenn.—Funeral services for D. A. Bauton, who died at his home near Emmet, were held at the home. Rev. T. L. Cate officiated. Interment was in the Shipley cemetery. Deceased was 57 years old, and leaves his widow, three daughters and three sons.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala.—The body of Mess Sergeant J. Thomas Mason, Company D, 167th infantry, has arrived at Hoboken from France and will be brought to Huntsville early this week for interment in Maple Hill cemetery. Sergeant Mason was killed by a German shell which fell far behind the American front lines June 12, 1918. His body is the first of the Madison county dead to be brought home for burial.

MILAN, Tenn.—Mrs. Bertie Lee Baker, 27, died at her home near Poplar Springs, six miles north of Milan. She was the wife of George Baker, a well-known farmer of Gibson county, a member of the Missionary Baptist church, and is survived by a husband and three small sons.

LUMBERTON, Miss.—J. W. Simmons, of this place, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. S. Aycock, at Hillsboro, Miss., where Mr. Simmons was residing. He was born in Alabama and moved to Mississippi when he was 4 years old, and had lived in Lumberton for the last 20 years. He leaves one daughter and seven sons living, his wife having died about six years ago. He was 58 years old at the time of his death.

HUMPHREYS, Tenn.—Hazel Gill, son of the late G. W. Gill, died at his home



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lord on Nov. 25 by Mayor J. K. Staples. The bridegroom is a son of Chancery Clerk O. K. Oliver, and the bride is one of the most charming young ladies in this section of the state.

MANCHESTER, Tenn.—Miss Mamie Perry, daughter of John K. Perry, deputy county clerk of this county, and William W. Chapman were married in Atlanta, Ga., Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman are visiting here before going to Chattanooga, where they will make their home.

BATESVILLE, Ark.—M. L. Carter and Mrs. Nellie Cross were married at the office of Justice J. A. Holmes Thursday.

## Kentucky Briefs

MADISONVILLE, Ky.—Gov. Morrow Monday was asked for requisition papers for Lee E. Eason, negro murderer of Sheriff O. S. Dunter at Madisonville Nov. 5. Eason was captured at Hannibal, Mo.

LEBANON, Ky.—Joseph Shreve, 22, farmer, was driving to a store at River Branch when his mule team became frightened and ran away. He succeeded in stopping their flight and then tumbled back into his wagon dead from heart disease.

VANCEBURG, Ky.—A report reached here from Spy Run that a mob named McKenzie had been struck on the head with an ax by his brother-in-law, named Ghent, after a family disagreement. McKenzie's skull was broken. His assailant escaped, according to the report.

IRVINE, Ky.—Will Dan Hoover, of Ross Creek, came to Irvine and surrendered, saying he had killed John Embury, who was under indictment for killing a man by the name of Young near Mount Tabor church last July 4. Hoover claimed Embury came to his house drunk and began firing his revolver. Hoover was released on bond.

ERLANGER, Ky.—A poison plot against the two small daughters of G. W. Gurney, railway mail clerk, is seen by poisoned candy in boxes having twice been found on the veranda of the Gurney home. For months poison

plots against children have been suspected in Northern Kentucky. Three

Williams children were killed by poison at Newport, Ky., in September and in October two alleged plots were discovered.



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